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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

de Groot et al.

Serial No.: 09/621,593

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For: MEANS AND METHODS FOR
RAISING ANTIBODY CONCENTRATION
IN COMPARTMENTS OF THE BODY OF A
NON-HUMAN ANIMAL

Examiner: B. Whiteman, Ph.D.

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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

The following amendments and remarks are filed in response to the Examiner's remarks in the Office Action mailed December 31, 2002, the three-month shortened statutory period for response to which expired on March 31, 2003. A petition for a one month extension of time and the appropriate fee accompany this Amendment.

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